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Notice of Appeal

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Sir:

Applicants respectfully Appeal to the Board of Appeals and Patent Interferences from the Final Rejection of the Examiner rejecting claims 34-46 of the above-described patent application.

The Small Entity Fee of \$ 155.00 for such Notice of Appeal under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(b) should be charged to Applicants' Deposit Account 50-0548, and notification thereof provided to Applicants. Small entity status is appropriate. Applicants respectfully submit that no additional fee is required for consideration of this submission. Should that determination be incorrect, the Director is authorized to debit account 50-0548, and notify Applicants.

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